

TEUTONS FLEE AS FOES TURN YSER WATERS ON TRENCHES

Belgians Force Enemy Out of Lower Valley, Pursuing Them With Artillery Fire, According to French Official Report.

British Shove Back Kaiser's Forces North of La Bassee and Regain Ground Lost in Fierce German Wedging Move.

Allies Send Counter Strokes Against Enemy's Line in Northern France to Relieve Pressure on Belgian Coast Defenders.

Belgians have opened the dykes in the lower Yser Valley and flooded the Germans out, Paris reports today.

British forces, who were in danger from a southward German drive near Armentieres, on the Belgian border, have forced the enemy back and regained last ground.

The Kaiser's forces continue to push westward toward the French seacoast towns between Nieuport and Ypres, in Belgium, and between Ypres and La Bassee, in France.

The French report is cheerful, laying claim to progress almost everywhere, especially between Arras and Albert, to the west of the centre of the battle line; on the Aisne to the east of the centre and north of Verdun on the right.

Turkey's entrance into the war, through operations against Russia in the Black Sea, today overshadowed the campaign in France and in the East. Bombardment of the Crimea town of Theodosia and the sinking of two Russian ships by the former German cruiser Goeben was Turkey's practical declaration of hostilities.

The move was hailed with delight in Petrograd, the Russians longing for a chance to crush their hated foes to the south.

A Russian gunboat was sunk in Odessa harbor by two Turkish torpedo destroyers and a French steamship was damaged. Odessa was bombarded and American property damaged, according to a dispatch to Washington.

The czar at once ordered the Black Sea fleet to search out and destroy the Turkish squadron. Troops already are mobilized in readiness for the campaign which has been expected.

Balkan complications are expected as a result of Turkey's step. France looks to Italy to subdue the Turks. And Italy, it is believed, can no longer withstand the pressure against its neutrality. Rumania and Greece are expected to enter the conflict.

The Russians have regained confidence.

DR. HERTZ'S BOND REDUCED

\$1500 Bail Now Required for His Release. The bond required for the release of Dr. Silas G. Hertz, 1113 Chestnut street, who on Monday last shot Dr. George Calvin McBride, of Harrisburg, today was reduced from \$3000 to \$1500.



THE WEATHER For Philadelphia and vicinity—Fair tonight and Saturday; slightly cooler tonight; moderate westerly winds.

CZAR GIVES FRESH TOKEN OF CONFIDENCE IN POLES

Polish Officers Exclusively for New Native Corps. LONDON, Oct. 30. A dispatch to the Star from Petrograd says that a Polish army corps, being formed in Russian Poland by the direct orders of the czar, is being raised by voluntary enlistment.

SUICIDE'S SHOT IN UNIVERSITY CLUB SHOCKS MEMBERS

Prominent Philadelphians, Lunching, Rush From Tables to Find Man Dying in Hall.

A revolver shot fired at noon today in the University Club by a man who blew out his brains startled prominent Philadelphians at luncheon there.

Negro Sentenced for Theft. George Light, a Negro who was arrested in Atlantic City for the theft of a suit of clothes and a gold watch from Julius Schmidt on September 14, was sentenced to one to seven years in the Eastern Penitentiary by Judge Boyle in the Camden Court today.

JAPANESE CRUISERS SWEEP INDIAN SEAS FOR ELUSIVE EMDEN

Daring German Raider Has Two Days' Start of Pursuers—Russia Confirms Sinking of Jemtechug.

TOKIO, Oct. 30. Two Japanese cruisers set out from Penang today in pursuit of the German cruiser Emden, which sank the Russian cruiser Jemtechug and a French destroyer in the harbor there. The Emden has more than two days' start, however, and it is improbable that they will be able to overtake her.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 30. The Russian Admiralty announced today that the cruiser Jemtechug was sunk by the German raider Emden at 5 A. M. on October 28 in the harbor of Penang. Fifty-five of the crew perished and out of 250 rescued 112 were wounded.

COUNCILS PLAN TO OPPOSE EMPLOYMENT OF EXPERT Mayor Will Ask \$5000 to Investigate Railroad Extension.

Penrose-McNehol-Vare forces in Councils are planning to oppose vigorously any appropriation asked by the Mayor to employ an expert to advise the city concerning a proposed extension of Pennsylvania Railroad freight yards from 52d to 63d street.

Mr. Willis is a former vice president of the New York Central Railroad and an expert in his line. At a cost of \$1341.95 he went over the proposed railroad improvements in South Philadelphia, and his advice to the city at that time was of inestimable benefit.



"WHY, I'M GOING TO SWEEP THE STATE, OF COURSE."

NEEDS OF NATIONS AT WAR SET NEW PROSPERITY MARK

Factories All Over Country Work Double-time to Fill Orders for Supplies of All Kinds.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—As a result of the many orders received in the United States from the warring nations of Europe a wave of prosperity is sweeping over the country.

RIG DEMAND FOR SHOES. The W. H. McElwain Company, of Boston, received an order for 250,000 pairs of such boots last week, but the order was increased to 500,000 pairs.

\$12,625,000 FOR HORSES. J. F. Ryan, representative of the Canadian Bureau of Horse Breeding, which has a contract to furnish the allied forces with 42,500 horses, amounting in value to more than \$12,625,000, is in Baltimore to make arrangements for the shipment of 700 horses from that port in the next few weeks.

CITY TO AID THE SOUTH. Levi L. Rue Says Philadelphia's \$10,000,000 Will Be Forthcoming.

Philadelphia's contribution of \$10,000,000 to the cotton pool of \$125,000,000 will be raised without difficulty, according to Levi L. Rue, president of the Philadelphia National Bank and head of the Central Loan Committee of Philadelphia.

"THE HANDS OF ESAU" HEALTH AND CHARITIES

Director of U. S. Mint Tenders Resignation. George E. Roberts Quits Government Post for Private Business.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—George E. Roberts, Director of the Mint, resigned today. His resignation will take effect when it is accepted by the President.

FRENCH SHIP GOES ASHORE. Wireless Call for Help Off Cape Harfleur Answered by Liner.

What a Man From Missouri Saw at Rally. The New Republicanism vs. the Old Brumbaugh vs. Penrose.

TROOPS WAIT IN VERA CRUZ FOR CARRANZA ASSURANCES. Satisfactory Agreement on Customs Receipts Will Be Required.

MEXICANS ADOPT PEACE PLAN GIVING LANDS TO PEOPLE. Convention of Generals Agrees on Program to Eject Cientificos From Their "Usurped" Property.

BRUMBAUGH PUTS PENROSE TO SHAME IN RINGING SPEECH

Announces Great Constructive Program, While Senator Seeks Reflected Glory From Dead Statesmen's Deeds.

Brumbaugh made a strong speech, revealing a constructive mind and definite purpose behind it.

DELEGATES SAY CARRANZA MOVES TROOPS TO ATTACK. "First Chief" Reported to Have Cut Railroad Lines.

ROME, Oct. 30. The Russian Embassy announced this afternoon that state of war existed between Turkey and Russia and that the Russian Ambassador had left Constantinople.

LONDON, Oct. 30. News agency dispatches from Petrograd say that the Russian Ambassador to Turkey has been instructed to demand his passports and to leave Constantinople at once.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 30. Russia has accepted Turkey's participation in the war in enthusiastic fashion. High Governmental officials today declared that the czar and his advisers welcome the opportunity to settle for all time the entire Turkish question.